

**Amendments to Claims**

12. (Cancelled).
- 21-40. (Cancelled).
41. (Currently amended) A cathode comprising (1) ~~a liquid alkali metal;~~ (2) a liquid alloy of two or more metals selected from the group consisting of bismuth, lead, tin, antimony, indium, gallium, thallium, and cadmium; or ~~(3)~~ (2) an electrically conductive liquid solvated alkali metal.
42. (Cancelled).
43. (Cancelled).
44. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 41 comprising said liquid alloy.
45. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 41 comprising said electrically conductive liquid solvated alkali metal.
46. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 45 further comprising an organic solvent.
47. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 46 wherein said solvent comprises ether or aromatic compound.
48. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 47 wherein said solvent comprises naphthalene.
49. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 45 wherein said cathode is sodium/naphthalene/ethylene glycol dimethyl ether.
50. (Previously presented) A cathode according to claim 49 wherein said sodium/naphthalene/ethylene glycol dimethyl ether has a weight ratio of about 25:150:50.